

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

V.

RHONDA FIRESTACK-HARVEY,

Defendant.

NO: 2:13-CR-0024-TOR-1

**ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT'S
MOTION TO MODIFY CONDITIONS
OF RELEASE**

BEFORE THE COURT are Defendant's Motion for Permission to Modify

Conditions of Release (ECF No. 789) and Motion to Expedite (ECF No. 790). The motions were submitted for consideration without oral argument. The Court has reviewed the motions and the file therein and is fully informed.

On October 2, 2015, Defendant was sentenced to a year and day term of incarceration and ordered to surrender for service of her sentence at the direction of the United States Probation Office at the conclusion of any appeal taken in this matter. At the conclusion of the hearing, the Court granted Defendant's motion to remain released pending the disposition of any appeal and released Ms. Firestack-

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1 Harvey on the previously imposed conditions. Pursuant to those conditions of
2 release, Defendant is not allowed to travel outside the Eastern District of
3 Washington without advance permission from the Court or the United States
4 Probation Office. Defendant now seeks the Court's permission to travel to and
5 temporarily reside in Kirkland, Washington, to recuperate from a recent medical
6 procedure. The Defendant has been granted permission to travel during the
7 pendency of this matter with no problems and has otherwise abided by the
8 conditions of her release. In her motion, the Defendant notes that the government
9 is not opposed to her request. The United States Probation Officer has been
10 contacted and does not oppose the request, but notes that notification to the United
11 States Probation Office for the Western District of Washington, as well as the
12 possibility of a temporary transfer of supervision, may be required. The Court finds
13 that good cause exists to modify Defendant's conditions of release and allow her to
14 travel to and temporarily reside in Kirkland, Washington through December 31,
15 2015, unless otherwise directed by the United States Probation Office.

16 ACCORDINGLY, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

17 1. Defendant's Motion to Modify Conditions of Release (ECF No. 789)

18 and Motion to Expedite (ECF No. 780) are **GRANTED**.

19 2. Defendant is permitted to travel to and temporarily reside in Kirkland,

20 Washington, between October 13, 2015 and December 31, 2015.

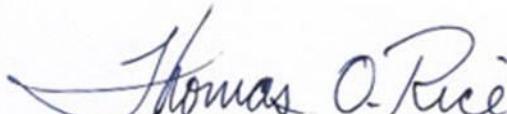
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1 3. Defendant shall notify the U.S. Probation Office of her travel plans
2 prior to departure and immediately upon return to the Eastern District of
3 Washington.

4 4. If directed by the United States Probation Office, Defendant shall submit
5 to temporary supervision by the United States Probation Office for the Western
6 District of Washington.

7 5. All other terms and conditions of Defendant's probation remain in effect.
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9 The District Court Executive is hereby directed to enter this Order and
furnish copies to counsel.

10 **DATED** October 13, 2015.



THOMAS O. RICE
United States District Judge

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